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Applicant: Tomihisa Saitou, et al.
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Title: IMAGE READING APPARATUS, ITS LIGHT SOURCE, AND SHADING
CORRECTING APPARATUS
TC/A.U.: 2626
Examiner: Negussie Worku
Confirmation No.: 5987
Docket No.: NSG-205US

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop **AMENDMENT**
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated **December 28, 2006**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.